



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Bi Le-Khac et al.
Appl. No. : 09/760,931
Filed : January 16, 2001
Title : PROCESS FOR PREPARING COMB-
BRANCHED POLYMERS
Group Art Unit : 1713
Examiner : Ms. Tatyana Zalukaeva
Docket No. : 01-2532B

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AMENDMENT

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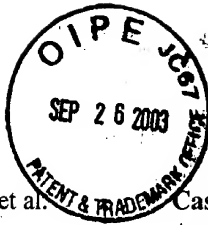
In response to the Office Action of June 27, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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Re: Application : Bi Le-Khac et al. Case No. : 01-2532B
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37 CFR 1.136 | <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Corrected Filing Receipt |
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The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid for	Present Extra	Add'l Rate	Fee
Total Claims:	7	minus : 20	:	:x \$18	: 0.00
Ind. Claims:	1	minus : 3	:	:x \$84	: 0.00
Fee for Petition of Extension of time (1 month see below)				\$: 0.00
TOTAL FEE DUE				\$: 0.00

- (X) No additional fee is required.
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- (X) Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2230.

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